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SUBJECT: EXPANSION OF IDB MEMBERSHIP

REF:A) BERN 0711 B) BONN 14931 (1973)

1. OSTERHAUS OF FRG AID MINISTRY CONFIRMED  
CONTENTS OF REFTEL A THAT NON-REGIONAL MEMBERS  
CONTRIBUTION TO IDB WOULD AMOUNT TO 400 MILLION  
DOLLARS. HE SAID THE FRG AND JAPANESE CONTRIBUTION  
WOULD AMOUNT TO 70 MILLION DOLLARS APIECE. THE  
REMAINING 260 MILLION DOLLARS WOULD BE DIVIDED UP  
AMONG THE OTHER NON-REGIONAL MEMBERS WITH THE UK  
AND ITALY CONTRIBUTING ALMOST AS MUCH AS THE FRG  
AND JAPAN. OSTERHAUS CHARACTERIZED THE SIZE OF THE  
TOTAL CONTRIBUTION AS FINAL. HE NOTED THERE HAD BEEN  
SOME TALK OF THE IDB TURNING DOWN THE 400 MILLION  
DOLLAR CONTRIBUTION BUT HE THOUGHT THAT WOULD PROBABLY  
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NOT HAPPEN. AT THE MEETING IN PARIS THE WEEK OF

MARCH 11, OSTERHAUS SAID THE NON-REGIONAL MEMBERS  
PLAN TO DISCUSS ASPECTS OTHER THAN THE SIZE OF THE  
CONTRIBUTION WITH BANK OFFICIALS.

2. THE FRG AID MINISTRY BUDGET CONTAINS  
THE FOLLOWING BREAKDOWN FOR THE FRG CONTRIBUTION TO  
THE IDB: DM 26.6 MILLION FOR THE BASIC CAPITAL AND  
DM 161.3 MILLION FOR THE SPECIAL FUNDS. THE FRG PLANS  
TO OBLIGATE THE FUNDS AS FOLLOWS: 1975, DM 52.7 MILLION;  
1976, DM 62.6 MILLION; 1977, DM 72.6 MILLION. THE  
FRG BUNDESTAG BUDGET COMMITTEE HAS AGREED TO THIS  
BUDGET AND FULL PARLIAMENTARY APPROVAL WITHOUT  
CHANGES IS EXPECTED.  
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